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WASHINGTON, D. C., TUESDAY EVENING, MARCH 3, 1896.

GRAVE ROBBERS CAUGHT

Marlowa and His San Landed by Sergeant Daley.

TWO BODIES AT THE MORGUE

A Box Was Found at the Adams Express Office Containing the Remains of Colored Youths-Lieut. Verson Took Hold of the Case and the Res urrectionists Were Locked Up.

The result of the latest work of the body snatchers, the bodies of two colored youths, lie on the slabs in the city morgue awanting accuracy tion. The bodies, packed in a single long wooden box, with oak leaves, were discovwonden box, with oak leaves, were discovered about 7 o'clock this morning at the railroad depot of the Adams Express Company, corner of Sixth street and Virginia avenue southwest.

The box was brought to the express office.

between 6 and 7 o'clock this morning, so the officials of the company stated, in a light dayton wagon, with new black olicioth covers. The wagon was in charge of two colored men, one very dark and bravy-set, and the other a bright mulatto. The black man remained in the vehicle, while the other carried the box and its uncanny contents

thato the receiving room.

The lox was similar in appearance to those taken to the United States Express office several weeks ago. It was marked

"To L. B. Downing, Hanover, N. H." The colored man who brought the box into the express office acted in a suspi-cious manner, and looked narrowly about, as though he feared the approach of some

THE NAME GIVEN.

Finally, approaching Shipping Clerk Guilford, he said: "I want to send these goods to New Hamp-

"Who is the shipper?" asked Mr. Guil-

"F. Crosby, corner Fourteenth and Corcoran streets." was the reply. A receipt for the box was handed the mu-latto, and he quickly sprang into the Day-ton wagon and drove away. The long box was placed on a truck by one of the helpers, James Stepper, and trundled down the

Suddenly Stepper spied several oak leaves protrading from the box. He had read in The Times the accounts of the work of the ghouls, and his suspicions were aroused. With but little difficulty he pried up one end of the lid, and a human foot that had been wedged in the receptacle came out, almost in his face, as though it

had been on springs.
With an exclamation of horror Stepper reported the matter to his superintendent.

A telephone message was at once sent to
Lieut Vernon, at No. 4 police station, and
in a few minutes Sergt. Daley was instituting an investigation. The patrol
wagon, with Al. Vernon on the box, and Policeman Henry inside, responded to a quick call and the box was taken to the norgae in rear of the Sixth precinct stationhouse. There the receptacle was unpacked and the cadavers laid out on the dead slab. THE TWO BODIES.

One of the bodies is that of a light-colored boy, not more than fifteen years of age. The other is somewhat darker in color, and is that of a youth of about The remains were locked in the morgue, and instructions issued not to allow any one to enter until further orders. Inspector Hollinberger was notified of the finding of the bodies, and at once assigned detectives to work on the case. In the meantime Sergt. Daley and Policeman Muller of the Fourth precinct started out

to locate the ghouls, if possible.

From the description furnished the express officials it was believed the yellow man who brought the box into the depot from the wagon was either John Marlowe, or George Jones. The black man who remained in the wagon was thought to be Bowie, who also has a long record as a

It is known that "Dr." James Fallon who had charge of the previous body-santching jobs about here, has fied from this section of the country, and the police believe the business has fallen into the hands of colored men. The corpses wer not taken from any cemetery in the city limits, the police say, but were disinterred in the surrounding Maryland and Virginia

Agent Guilford of the express company stated today that the colored men who called this morning had succeeded about three weeks ago in shipping a box to some point in the Northwest.

This afternoon Chief Clerk Sylvester of the police department received of a received in the color of the colors.

the police department received information that one of the bodies at the morgae had been identified as theory H. Qualls of No. 2214 Virginia avenue northwest, who was buried several days ago at Woodlawn cemetery, which is located on Benning road, in the county. This graveyard has been e scene of several former resurrections

ARREST OF THE MARLOWES

After several hours' detective work to-day, Sergt. Daley and Policeman Muller, of the Fourth precinct, in citizen's clother finally arrested the guilty parties this af-termoon. The persons are George Mar-lowe and his son, Jerry; also John and Syl-roter Least Syl-

The Marlowes were run down and located The Marlowes were run down and lecated finally at their bome in Ivy City. The Jones' were arrested in the Second pracinet, after the former had been secured. The Marlowes were fully identified, as were their borse and wagon, by Supt. Guilford of the express company, Assistant Superimendent Yates and Truckman Stepper. After their committee identification.

per. After their complete identification they were locked up at No. 4 station. The prisoners will probably be brought into the police court tomorrow. The Mar-lowes have a long record as resurrectionists. It is not known yet whether they were associated with "Dr." Fallon in the recen

Detective Carter does not believe they were connected with the former jobs, but he decided this afternoon to take the United States Express officials to No. 4 to see if they can identify the men as the who left the boxes at their depot several

THAT BOY HAS PLUCK.

Carried on a Successful Battle With

Four Burghars.

Lebanon, Pa., March 3.—Four masked thieves broke into the residence of Mrs. John Wagner, near Jonestown, vesterday. They were heard by Mrs. Wagner, who called her adopted son, Harry, aged twelve. The latter seized a revolver and opened fire upon the intruders, and shot one of them.

The thieves returned the fire, but this did not deter the plucky boy, who kept up the fusilade. The robbers were forced to retire. They were traced in the direction of the Buc Mountains, but escaped, taking the wounded man with them.

CLEVELAND IS AWAY.

York This Morning.

President Cleveland and Private Secretary Thurber left at 11 o'clock this morning for New York, where the President will preside tonight at a meeting of the Home Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church, to be held in Caruegie Hall.

The special car in which the trip was made was attached to the New York and Washington express of the Pennsylvation.

ton express of the Pennsylvania

WILL HAVE A CHARIOT.

South Washington Division Preparing for Emancipation Celebration. The South Wasington division of the

The South Wasington division of the Emancipation Day celebration was organized last night, at a meeting of the Eleventh, Seventeenth and Eighteenth districts, held at No. 350 F street southwest.

Officers were elected as follows: Samuel Brown, president; Thomas Sefert, vice president; James R. Evans, recording secretary; Churles Page, financial secretary; John A. Gibson, treasurer; Asbury Jones, division chief marshal. It was decided that the South Washington division should have a chariot in the parade.

MANDERSON'S BEE BUZZES

Nebraska Ex-Senator Announces His Candidacy for the Presidency.

Denounces as Cruelly False the Report That It Is in McKinley's Interest. No Stalking Horse for Anybody.

Chicago, March 3 .- A special from Omaha Neb., says Gen. Manderson has written an nouncing his candidacy for the Presidential nomination, as follows: Washington, D.C., Feb. 28, 1896.

L. D. Fowler, esq., Omaha: "My Dear Sir. I thank you very heartily for you kind favor of 25th instant, which has just reached me here. Your frank letter presents a matter of supreme importance. involving, as it does, my honor and in-tegrity, and I would neet it with all cardor and with frankness equal to your own. You say: 'It is freely charged that your (my) candidacy is in the interest of another, and that this is only a part of a gigantic plan to defeat the nomination of Mr. McKuley.'

your (my) candidacy is in the interest of another, and that this is only a part of a gigantic plan to defeat the nomination of Mr. McKinley.

"I denounce this charge and every other akin to it as cruelly and basely false. I know it to be false as to myself, and did I believe it to be true as to the friends through out the State and nation who have so licited me to permit the use of my name, I would sparn them and stamp the proffered honor indignantly under my feet.

"I am not to be used as a staking horse or delivery wagon for any aspirant. The gentlemen who are named prominently for the place are all my personal friends, and the chief among them I have known intimately and closely since youth. I honor and esteem them all, and will follow gladly in the ranks under the captaincy of any one of them. I demand fair play for them. I expect it for myself.

"Before I left Omaha to come here and in the latter part of January. I said to my friends that I would neither seek nor decline, but would permit them without protest from me, to proceed with their effort, which they believe is to be crowned with success. I have no presonal claim upon Nebraska. Our young Commonwealth has bonored me so greatly that a life of continued devotion to her interests will not wine out the score. If she shall at St. Louis pay me the highest compliment within her power to bestow, it would be an act of hypocrisy for me not to say that no prouder distinction could come to me.

"If the voice of the Republicans of the

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"If the voice of the Republicans of the State shall be for some other, no man will give more hearty or cheerful acquiescence to the verdict than myself. The unsolic ted triumphs that have council one from the very numerous Nebraska Republicans, volunteering their support, has touched me most deeply. There shall come from me no act or thought that shall disappoint their expectations. CHARLES F. MANDERSON."

MARRIED MAN MISSING.

Probably Absconded With One Hundred Thousand Dollars.

Pittsburg. Pa., March 3 .- John L. Cowan. of the wholesale lumber firm of W.G. Cowan, & Son. No. 28 Seventh avenue, Pittsburg, is missing. The claim is made that with him has gone \$100.000.

About 250 creditors have claims against

the missing man, and detectives are search ing for the fogitive. Many serious charges, such as forgery, raising checks and other ugly transactions are freely mentioned in connection with the disappearance.

There is an intimation that Cowan is probably en route for Nicaragua. The last seen of Cowan in Pittsburg was last Saturday morning. Since that time his wife has received from him a roof. pression that he contemplated suicide, and an insurance policy for \$10,000. Mrs. Cowan, who resides at No. 155 Grant

avenue. Allegheny, is left almost penniless and is prostrated with grief. Cowan is 28 years of age, and has been married about one year. W. G. Cowan father of the miss-ing man died nearly a year ago, and the business he established passed to his son.

BANK CASHIER ARRESTED.

Charged With Embezzling Twenty Thousand Dollars.

Waco, Tex., March 3.-J. P. Massey, until February 15 last, cashier of the Farmers' and Merchants National Bank, of this city, and C. W. Tucker, were arrested last night. Massey is charged with mis-appropriating \$5,000 of the hank's funds, and W. R. Tucker and J. B. Tucker with aiding and abetting him. J. P. Tucker is at present in Chicago, and his arrest has been ordered there.

The transactions out of which the arrests grew consist in the loans made by Massey to the Tuckers, which are claimed to ag-gregate \$20,000, upon one of which, for \$8,000, the claim is based. The Tuckers are extensive cattle dealers, and with Massey are widely known, and their arrest has caused a sensation here.

Officers of the bank declare that its solvency will be in no wire affected, and that the bank is prepared to pay all of its obligations.

obligations.

GOT ALL HE ASKED FOR

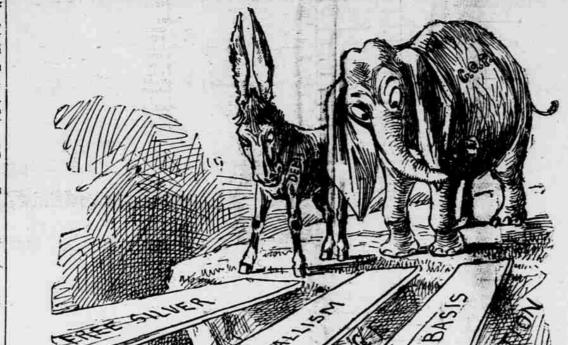
Favor for \$150,0000 Damages St. Louis, March 3.—A jury in Judge Valliant's court brought in a verdict yes-terday in favor of ex-Congressman John M. Glover and against the American Casu-alty Insurance Company of Baltimore for \$150,000. This is the full amount asked

This is the outcome of Mr. Glover's suit against the above concern for print ing his name in a list of alleged embezzler and defaulters in positions of trust. "Joh Glover, St. Louis, administrator, \$86,-000, was the publication, and it was intended to convey the information that Mr. Glover had embezzled that amount from the estate of Glover & Shepley.

Ex-Gov. Ireland Hopelessly III. San Antonia, Tex., March 3.—Hon. John Ireland, ex-governor of Texas, was attacked Sunday night with neuralgia of the heart and his condition is considered hopeless by his attending physicians. His home is at Seguin, Tex., and he arrived in San Autonia Sunday norming to spend a few Antonio Sunday morning to spend a few days. Ex-Gov. Ireland is one of the most prominent members of the bar in the South, and has taken a prominent part in Texas and national politics for the last twenty

Doctor Dies From Effect of Cold. Reading. Pn., March 3.—Dr. W. M. Sny der died Sanday night at St. Joseph's Ho pital as a result of exposure during one of pital as a result of exposure during one of the cold snaps a few weeks ago. The doc-tor was called out to see a patient in the hight, and while returning home was taken ill, sank to the ground, and, being help himself, was nearly frozen to death be-fore he was found. He never railied from the effects of the exposure, and crysipelas attacking the frozen flesh, blood poisoning wed, causing his death after great suf

Cincinnati Candy Factory in Ashes.
Cincinnati, March 3.—The six-story building at Twelfth and Jackson streets occupied as a candy factory by Flach Brothers



NAMES THE MAN WANTED

Motive for the Bill Putting Marshals on Salary.

MR. UPDEGRAFF EXPLAINS

louse Informed That Commissione Shields of New York Is the Official Against Whom the Measure Is Aimed-Complaint of Court Clerks Not Regarded as of Any Consequence.

At the suggestion of the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, the bill to incorporate the Lake Eric and Ohlo Riv-er Canal Company was referred in the House today to the Committee on Railroads and Canals.

Senate ameriments to the bill relating to the anchorage of vessels in St. Mary's channel were agreed to.

The House then in Committee of the Whole renewed consideration of the fee and sai

ary amendment to the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill.

Mr. Updegraff, who reported the amendment as an independent measure, further explained its provisions and the reasons actuating the Committee on the Judiciary ing to the conclusions expressed in

the bill. The saving in salaries by the bill, he stated, would amount to about \$196,000, but this he counted the least of the benefits resulting from the operations of the law The great saving would come in other ways, fewer cases in courts and fewer terms of courts, and relief from harrassing and burdensone prosecutions.

Mr. Sulzer asked Mr. Updegraff if United

States Commissioner J. A. Shields of the Southern district of New York was exempted from the bill

THE MAN THEY'RE AFTER. "Why, he's the very fellow we are after," answered Updegraff. "Under the bill no man can hold two offices. But there is no exception made in the bill in favor of or against any individual com

Mr. Updegraff said he had received a tele-gram from a former member of the House, which, to his mind, was significant. It read that if marshals and attorneys were put on salaries, clerks of the courts would be ruined

salaries, clerks of the courts wounder funct unless they too were salaried.

"How will this amendment ruin clerks?" asked Mr. Updegraff. "Will it born down their habitations or infect their flocks with disease? Not at all. But if it be ruin to prevent officials from plundering the government and taking money from their fellow-citizens by vexatious and baseless prosecutions, then I wish every official, national and State, were ruined. That is exactly the ruin this bill is intended to bring about?

The bill, he said, in conclusion, had no partisanship in it, and had received the carnest support of Attorney General Har-mon and the Department of Justice.

DIPLOMATS THINK IT QUEER. They Are Astonished at the Action of Congress

Today is expected to be a critical one in Spain, and officials believe that the tide of public feeling there will turn one way or public reging there will turn one way or another before night. Everything is thought to depend upon the character of the reports cabled to the Spanish news-papers by their representatives here re-garding the action of Congress. Naturally only the most sensational portions of speeches against Spain are ordinarily pub-lished; the more conservative statements are seldom given their due prominence. Under the circumstances the sitention i

regarded as possibly precarious in Spain, but confidence is expressed that if trouble is avoided today and no fuel is added to the flames already affecting the over-excitable Castilians, the danger point will be passed and the situation will be rapidly DIPLOMATS EXPRESS SURPRISE.

The surprise expressed by European news-papers as to the action of the United States longress is repeated in guarded phrases by experienced members of the diplomatic by experienced members of the diplomatic corps. The prevalent feeling was today expressed by one very distinguished representative of a great nation as follows:

"The whole action of your Congress seems to me most unprecedented. I have never before known of one government proposing to interfere with the government of a colony of another power, with which it is at peace. It is as if the British Parliament should pass resolutions condemning the French administration of Algeria; or as if the French Corps Legis

Algeria; or as if the French Corps Legis-latif should resolve that the French Cana-dians were not accorded proper rights in the Dominion of Canada. "Then there seems to me such an apparent

insincerity in the whole proceeding. Neither numericy in the whole proceeding. Neither house of Congress has had the courage to put its resolutions in such shape as to demand executive action. Each has designated its resolutions as 'concurrent,' so they can be pigeon-holed if they show yer reach the President, just as the Armenter reaching beautiful to the proceeding. Armenian resolutions have been.

expressing any such sentiments for publication over his name, it may be interesting to know that these seem to be the views of pretty well all of the diplomatic corps in Washington, except the representatives of the Laun-American states.

ANGLO-AMERICAN ARBITRATION. Great Demonstration to Be Made in London Today.

London Today.

London, March 3.—The Daily News publishes the details of the arrangement for an Anglo-American arbligation demonstration that will be led in Queen's Hall today. The needing will open with the singing of the American and British national anthens, the Star Spangred Banner, Rule Brittany, Heli Columbia and Auld Lang Syne.

The light Hon. Sir James Stansfeld will preside and will read letters of synenathy from Mr. Gladstone, the Right Hon. John Moriey, the Right Hon. James Bryce. Sir John E. Millnis, president of the Royal Academy, the Archbishop of Canterbury and other prelates. Cardinal Vaughan will make a speech, after which resolutions will be adopted.

MURDERED THE RECANTERS

Armenians Returning to Christianity Slaughtered by Moslems-

Fifteen Inhabitants of Zeitoun Who Had Gone to Buy Grain All Killed by the Kurds.

Constantinople, March 3-The Armenian ellef committee have sent to Mr. C. S. Hampson, British consul at Bitlis, a sum saving their lives.

Mr. Hampson telegraphed on March 1 that taken up and passed. fifteen families in the Guendij district who THE CONFERE d and returned to Christianity, whereupon they were all murdered.

Fifteen Zeitouniis, who had ventured to go to the town of Albostan for the purpose of buying grain, were all killed by Kurds. The Irades reported to have been de-livered to the members of the Red Cross society, enabling them to go into Asia Minor for the purpose of distributing re-lief, have not yet been delivered.

GUARDED BY POLICEMEN.

The Marquette Statue at the Capitol Is Being Closely Watched.

The statue of Pere Marquette, against which threats of violence have been made, is the center of attraction in Statuary Half, and was surrounded this morning by an admiring group of visitors.

The police are keeping a sharp watch over the piece of marble, which is just now occupying so much attention in the mind of the public, and it is not likely that any damage could befall it, even were one foolhardy enough to attempt to do injury.

Representative Linton of Michigan this morning denied the report that he has withdrawn the resolutions introduced by him Saturday last protesting against the acceptance by the government of the statue. Moreover, he has no intention of doing so, he says.

When asked what effect the acceptance of the statue by the government two years ago would have upon his action, Mr. Linton replied that the statute under which the figure was accepted provided that such statues should be fimited to those

of persons who had been entinent in a civic or military way. Marquette, he said, had been distinguished in neither line of human progress, and for that reason the terms of the law had not been compiled with. The report that the statue is to be removed to Wisconsin and presented to the Marquette College in Milwaukee is denied. It is stated that the reason the governor of Wisconsin sent a representative here in-stead of coming himself is that the legis-lature is now in session and he could not leave. Judge Losey is his accredited rep-resentative and acts for him. The judge inspected the statue, and on his report will lepend its acceptance by the Wisconsir

Senator Vilas of Wisconsin is authority for the statement that the statue will not, at this time, be formally presented to the government, for the simple reason that two years ago it was accepted by Congress in a resolution which passed both House and Senate.

Som time in the future—Senator Vilas cannot say when—speeches will be made in the Senate by himself, and his coileague Mr. Mitchell, and possibly also in the House, commemorative of Marquette's life and services as an explorer. Beyond this, it is said, no further action will be taken with

Anti-Semites Again Win in Vienna. Vienna, March 3.—The second day's balloting for members of the municipal comcil has resulted in the return of thirty-two anti-Semites and fourteen Liberals. The anti-Semites will have a large majority in the new council and will be able to again elect as burgomaster of the city Dr. Lueger, the anti-Semite goader, whose previous election led to the dissolution of the council. "Neither house reems desirous of concurring with the other as to the wording of the resolutions. which thus seem likely to be left hand air between the two houses, as if this wrowale discussion was meant for what you call 'buncombe.' It is most astonishing to me."

While diplomatic propriety, of course, which extends for the propriety of course, which extends for the propriety of course.

MIXED THE RESOLUTIONS

Senator Sherman Explains Action in Cuba's Behalf.

RECORD TO BE CORRECTED

dr. Hill DrawsOutan Admission From Senator Hale Which He Will Discuss Later on-Mr. Allen's Bill to Protect the Treasury-Other Senate Business.

During the business of the morning hour of the Senate a bill was reported from the select committee on the international exposition, and was passed, authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to distribute medals and diplomas awarded to exhib-itors at the World's Columbian Exposition-not yet distributed-and appropriating \$15,000 to defray expenses.

A joint resolution was introduced by Mr. Turple for the appointment of a commission, under direction of the Secretary of War, for the preliminary survey, with plans, specifications and approximate estimates of cost, of a ship-canal from the lower store of Lake Michigan to the Wabash River. After some remarks on the importance of the proposed canal, the joint resolution was referred to the Comm

on Commerce. On motion of Mr. Hill, the House of money especially for the relief of the people of Guendij, a large district near submit estimates for work on Newtown Sassoon, the inhabitants of which have been forced to accept Islandsm as a means of of 18 fect and a width of 125 feet. Iron its mouth to the head of navigation, was

THE CONFERENCE REPORT

priation bill was presented and agreed to.

A bill entitled "To protect the Treasury Department and for other purposes" was introduced by Mr. Allen, and referred to the Committee on Finance. It provides for the retirement of all national bank oles and the substitution therefor of United States legal tender notes, to be issued by the Treasury to the banks, the bonds now deposited as security for the redemption of pational bank notes to be retained in the Treasury as security for

hese legal tender notes.

A resolution was also offered by Mr.
Allen, and went over muli tomorrow, de-claring that, under existing laws, all United States notes and legal-tender notes tre redeemable in gold and silver coin Mr. Chandler, from the Committee on Privileges and Elections, reported a reso-lution for the appointment by the Presi-dent of the Senate of a select committee f five Senators to inquire into the fact and circumstances of the election in Alabama on the first Monday in October, 1894, which election resulted in setting up a government and legislature, which icg-islature elected a United States Senator. and especially whether such selection of a State government was accomplished by false and fictitious returns or other dis-tonest methods or by violent practice—the committee to have authority to send for

ersons and papers.

Mr. Hill called attention to the peculiar wording of the resolution, that the committee is to be appointed by "the President of the Senate." Mr. Chandler admitted that his intention was to have the committee appointed by the President of the Senate pro tempore, instead of by the Vice President, but he said he would withdraw that point for the

"I will renew it later," Mr. Hill said. The resolution went over without action, Mr. Gray stating his intention to make a

minority report.

A motion to reconsider the vote by which
the Senate yesterday passed the bill authorizing additional enlistments in the Navy
was submitted by Mr. Gorman and went

over, to be called up bereafter. THE CUBAN BLUNDER.

Attention was called by Mr. Sherman o the blunder committed in having the course Cuban resolutions reported to the cenate, not as a substitute for the Senate Cuban resolutions (which was the intenion and the real fact), but as independent action on the part of the House. He asked to have the journal corrected.

After a good deal of colloquy. Mr. Sher-man admitted that the proper remedy was to wait for the House to send to the Senate

an authentic report of its action yesterday.

The agricultural appropriation bill was then taken up.

A motion to disagree with the committee amendment striking out of the bill the provision for a change in the methods of supplying tobacco to foreign countries was made by Mr. Bate, who explained the matter and said that under the present system the supply of tobacco to foreign countries was controlled by a syndicate.

HOUSE CLERK BLUNDERED.

the Record's Proceedings.

The Congressional Record this morning is somewhat at variance with itself on the subject of the Cuban resolutions agreed to yesterday by the House.

The proceedings of the House which are compiled by the House official reporters, show that the House yesterday adopted the resolutions reported last week from the House Committee on Foreign Affairs as

Peculiar Accident to a Grandson of Harper Brothers.

Theodore Haight Got Up to Move a Gun, When It Discharged, Striking Fletcher.

Long Island City, L. L. March 3 .- Fletcher

a substitute for the Senate resolutions on

the subject.

The Senate proceedings, prepared by the official reporters of that body, show that the House simply adopted its own Cuban resolutions, and not as an amen ment in the nature of a substitute for the Senate resolution. With this understanding the resolution.

intion. With this understanding the reso-lutions were referred by the Senate to the Foreign Relations Committee.

This discrepancy of opinion resulted from a blunder of one of the House clerks in engrossing the resolutions as original House resolutions, while, in fact, as the House Journal shows, it was the Senate's measure that was cassed with an amond-

measure that was passed with an amend ment striking out all after the title and in

SHOT HIS LITTLE BROTHER

Harper Haight, seven years old, a grandson of Harry and William Harpers of the pub-lishing house of Harper Brothers of New lishing house of Harper Brothers of New York, was accidentally shot and killed by his brother. Theodore Haightiffe, aged eleven years, at their home, No. 60 Remsen sireet. Astoria, about 9 o'clock heat-night. The boys are sons of Theodore Haight, manager of the Bonneil Printing Ink Manufacturing Company, New York. It appears that burglars attempted to break into the bouse on Sunday night and a second the house on Sunday night, and a gun was placed in the room in which the two boys siept, to be used in case of an emergency. On going to bed last night Theodore stood the gun in a corner, but later got up with

the intention of placing the weapon within As he was retracing his steps he stumbled against a rug. The butt of the weipon struck against a bereau and was dis-charged, the bullet striking Fletcher, who remained in bed, in the right groin. The wound was mortal and the little fellow died about half an sour after the

THEY CAME TOGETHER.

Edward Harris Came Out of the Fray With a Battered Head.

Edward Harris' head looked as though he had collided with an express train go-ing at the rate of sixty-six miles an hour when he took the witness stand in Judge Miller's police court this morning. Edward is a tall colored man, and his head was tied up with numerous bandages, including a large glugham apron. He ex-plained that his many injuries resulted from "coming together" with Isaiah Brooks, a

coming together" with Isaan Brows, combative looking young negro. The men are residents of the locality known as "Bos " in the Seventh police precinct, and ton," in the Severith police precinct, and yealerday afternoon they quarreled about Harris' wife. Policeman Harrison, who made the ar-Peliceman Harrison, who made the arrest, and the defendant testified that
Brooks knocked Harris down and then
kicked him bratally a number of times
about the head and face. The prisoner
took the stand and told an improbable
story about Harris having a knife and attempting to slash him. Judge Miller subjected Brooks to one of his searching examinations and tangled him in the meshes
of untruth worse than a blue bottle fly
in a spider's web.

in a spider's web.
"You will have to go to fail for sixty

days," was his honor's concluding mark.

CHARGED WITH ASSAULT. sequel to an Eviction in the Division Yesterday Afternoon.

trouble in Mr. J. Edward Chapman's row of Division house, on C street, between Fourteenth and Flifteenth streets, is not yet at end. It began with an incendiary fire in the

morning and was continued by the remova of Camille Livingston's furniture yesterday afternoon, to satisfy first a debt to a fur-niture firm and then to Mr. Chapman. Camille Livingston went before Warrant Clert. Washburn at the police court today and demanded a warrant for the clerk, who assisted in setting out this furniture, charg ing that he assaulted her, and that she wa compelled to give him one of her diamon earrings before he would stop. After learn ing his name, the warrant was issued. I will probably be served this evening, and the case will come up before Judge Miller to

STOLEN WATCH FOUND.

Homer L. Rowe and William Tyler, young men, were arrested this afternoon by Po-liceman McGrath of the First precinct. while attempting to pawn a stolen watch at Fulton's pawnshop. The watch was re-ported stolen last September, and the num-

ber given the pawnshops, with orders to stop it if it ever came up.

The case was turned over to Detective Sutton, and the men were taken to the station house. Both had considerable money when searched. Tyler was trying to pawn the watch, but he said it was given to the watch, but he said it was given to him by Rowe. This the latter admitted, and claimed that he found the watch has September. He was a lanchroom clerk and Tyler is a cook. They were locked up on suspicion, and will be held until the truth or falsity of their stories can be as

Grounding of the New York. New York, March 3.—Capt. Charles H. Grant, of the American Line steamship, New York, was before the local board of

He said the New York struck so easily that no one on board knew she had ground ed until it became apparent that she was making no headway. That was at 5:40 a.m. No shocks were felt while the ves-

Dairy man Kearus' Dental. Richard Kearns, who son was arraigned in police court yesterday morning for stealing milk and fined \$100, as told in The Evening Times, desires to correct the impression that he is in any way connected with his son's misconduct. Mr. Kearus has suffered, along with the other milkmen in the vicinity of Eighteenth street, from these thievings. It was he who complained to the police.

Gov. Greenhalge More Comfortable Lowell, Mass., March 3.- It was stated at Gov. Greenhalge's residence this morning that his condition was comfortable. These in charge would not say whether or not there had been any change since the official bulletin at midnight last night.

Mrs. Shipe Granted Divorce Judge Cox today granted Mary A. Shipe an absolutedivorce from her husband, Frank A. Shipe. The writ was instituted May 18, 1895, and all of the papers in the case were withheld from publication.

Trial of the Transvani Seditionists.

Pretoria, March 3.—The trial of the prisoners who are accused of sedition in connection with the proposed rising of the Utilanders at Johannesburg will be resumed on March 11.

Secret Divorce Asked for Mrs. Jordan Secret proceedings for divorce were in-stituted today by Mary Elizabeth Jordan against her husband, James Adelbert Jor-

ONE CENT. ITALIANS BADLY DEFEATED

Gen. Baratieri Overwhelmed by King Menelek's Forces.

HIS SUICIDE IS REPORTED

Gens. Dabormina and Albertone and Three Thousand Troops Killed-Italians Lost Sixty Guns and All Their Provisions—Reserves of 1872 Called Out-Resignation of the Cabinet.

Rome, March 3 .- The news received from Massowah of the crushing defeat of the Italian forces under Gen. Baratleri in Abyssinia has greated great excitement throughout Italy. The opposition press declare that Gen. Baratieri has suffered an enormous loss of men, arms, etc., claiming that he lost sixty guns and all of his pro-

visions. The government newspapers confirm the reports already published as to the Italians being compelled to abandon their positions, adding that their gun caringes and many of their guns were abandoned.

HIS TACTICS INEXPLICABLE.

Gen. Baratieri's decision to break his ine and the tactics subsequently pursued by him are regarded as inexplicable. It is

reported that Paratieri was wounded. Rome, March 3 .- Further details of the battle fought between the Italian and Abessinian troops on March 1 show that the Italians were defeated with a loss of 3,000 killed, including Gens. Dabormina and Albertone. The fight lasted the entire

tien, Baratieri, with the wounded, Gen. Ellenn and his forces and those under Gen. Arimondi, have returned to Adecaje, 100

kilometers from Adowa. The government has called out the entire

reserves of 1872. RUMOR OF BARATIERES SUICIDE. London, March 3.-A dispatch from Rome to the Pail Mail Gazette says it is mimored there that Gen. Baratieri bas committed suicide, being unable to endare the humiliation of his defeat by the Abyssinians. Rome. March 3. The cabinet held a meet

Rome, March 3.-All of th cavailable ransport steamers have been ordered to assemble at Naples on March 7 to convey assemble at Naples on Karch 7 to convey reinforcements to Abyssinia. Gen. Baldissera, who was recently ap-pointed to succeed Gen. Baratieri in the chief command of the Italian forces in Africa, has arrived at Massowah.

GREAT ECITEMENT IN ROME.

The cabinet sat in closed session from midnight last night until late this morn-ing discussing the situation in Abyssinki. The scenes in the streets are very exciting. nd denunciations of the ministry are frequently heard.

London, March 3.—Italian securities fell
2 per cent on the stock exchange today. requently heard.

MET DEATH IN THE FLAMES.

Three Persons Cremated in a Utles Apartment House. Utica, N. Y., March 3. The Genesce apartment house, which is located in one of the best portions of this circ, burned this morning between 5 and 6 o'clock.

The structure was seven stories high, with

ten flats on each floor.

About sixty of the flats were occupied and there were probably 300 people in the building. They were mostly well-to-do persons and their apartments were handsomely furnished. The fire originated in the basement, but

from what cause is not known. When the firemen arrived the fire had attained such headway that the efforts of the department were futile. A general alarm was sounded, to which

the entire department responded. Those who were first alarmed escaped by the Stairs.

The flames soon cut off this means of egress. The free-scapes at the rear of the building carried many to the ground, but some were severely burned in descending. When this mode of escape was also cut off.

upward of forty tenants remained in the building. The ladders proved inadequate, and the people were lowered from the fifth, sixth and seventh floors by means of bed clothes. Mrs. David Highes, an aged woman, lost her hold on the rope at the fifth floor and was dashed to death. Mrs. John Wood and daughter and Noble F. Hopkins, occupying rooms on the Seventh floor, are missing,

and it is feared that they were burned to and it is feared that they were burned to death.

James Potter jumped from the second floor and broke his leg. Many other minor injuries are reported.

The building was the largest of its kind in Utica. It cost about \$120,000 and was insured for \$50,000. It is impossible at this time to counterate the personal losses, but they will be very large. The destruction of the building is cosmolette.

of the building is complete. BLIZARD SWEEPS KANSAS. And It is Coming East at a Forty-

Mile Rate. Topeka, Kans., March 3.—A severe bilz-zard swept over Kansas yesterday and reports received at the railroad headquar-ters here show that the worst is yet to come. On the Bock Island's Colorado lines

twelve luches of snow is reported and the storm is moving east at the rate of forty miles an hour.

Stockmen say the storm will be severe on thousands of head on the plains and grave apprehension is felt for the fruit crop, as the recent formight of warm spring weather has brought out the bods and in some sections the leaves on the trees have begun to make their appearance.

NOMINATIONS SENT IN.

C. E. Wells to Be Marhsal for West Virginia, and Other Officers The President sent to the Senate today the following nominations:

C. E. Wells of West Virginia to be marshal of the United States for the District of West Virginia. First Lieut. T. N. Wood, United States Marine Corps, to be capitain.

Second Lieut. R. H. Lane. United States
Marine Corps. to be first fleutenant.

McKinley Delegates Chosen in Illinois. McKinley Delegates Chosen in Finnois, Rockford, Ill., March 3.—The Winnelsigo county Republican convention was held yesterday, and delegates instructed for McKinley for President. Col. Thomas 6. Lawler, ex-communiter-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, was left off the delegation, and seelined to have his name substituted in the convention, declaring that be could not be read out of the ing that he could not be read out of the party, and that he did not know it was nec-essary to belong to a secret organization to become a Super telegate. These re-marks caused a seasation.

Judge Sinss Stricken With Paralysis.
Trenton, N. J., Marct: 3.—Judge Clifford
Stanley Sins of the New Jersey court of
error and appears was stricken with paralysis this morning at the Treaton depot of
the Pennsylvania Endroad. The stroke
is a sight one, and the physicians are hopeful of the Judge's recovery.